

## HOPKINS' COAL MINES.

Magnificent Showing in Output and Operation Last Year.

## LETTER FROM INSPECTOR STONE.

"No Labor Troubles, Nor Strikes, Nor Suspensions for Any Cause."

## BIGGEST YEAR ON RECORD.

Immense Output—Large Improvements—Increased Capacity—Light Accident Record—Hopkins County People at Large Have Cause for Congratulation at Existing Conditions.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 28.  
EDITOR BEE—DEAR SIR:  
Answering your favor of the 21st inst., I beg to hand you here in a brief statement as to the operations of the coal mines of Hopkins county for 1899. There were no labor troubles nor strikes nor suspensions from any cause. The year's record must be very gratifying to everybody.

The production of the several mines for 1898 and 1899 is as follows: fractions of tons being omitted:

Mine.	Tons 1898.	Tons 1899.
Earlington No. 9.	172,653	222,410
Reinecke.	150,683	179,007
Diamond.	154,549	169,332
St. Charles.	182,216	141,276
Earlington No. 11.	108,944	140,175
Crabtree.	69,911	75,794
Carbondale.	41,130	87,456
Monarch.	51,841	94,259
Hecia.	38,316	62,088
Arnold.	55,577	51,967
Co-Operative.	77,816	51,967
Oak Hill.	12,611	35,660

Totals.....901,715 1,265,709

Gain over 1898 (31.6 per cent.) 363,991 tons.

The aggregate record of all the mines for each month of the year, as to greatest and average number of employees, and tons of coal produced, is shown in the following table:

Month.	Gross Employees.	Average Employees.	Tons.
January.....1663	1596	125,104.48	
February.....1600	1554	107,488.77	
March.....1867	1580	122,111.07	
April.....1559	1430	98,497.71	
May.....1452	1417	80,618.92	
June.....1470	1400	80,548.29	
July.....1621	1490	88,979.02	
August.....1593	1576	96,162.07	
September.....1716	1695	106,126.58	
October.....1717	1695	112,669.88	
November.....1724	1704	115,912.82	
December.....1728	1690	116,449.48	

Total tons, 1,265,709.66.

About 74 per cent. of the output was machine mined, and about 66 per cent. of it was marketed outside the State.

### IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements at several mines were quite extensive and costly. Chief among which, I mention: The opening and splendid equipment of the Arnold Mine, by the St. Bernard Coal Company, at a cost of \$18,000. This new mine produced nearly 10,000 tons in December, and bids fair to be one of the most productive in the county.

The St. Bernard Coal Company, in May, lost by fire its coal washing and coke crushing plant at Earlington. A new plant has been constructed at a cost of \$16,000. It has a capacity to wash over 400 tons of coal per day. This same company also opened a new mine at St. Charles, which has a capacity of 200 tons per day.

### REINECKE MINE.

Various improvements and repairs were made by the Reinecke Coal Company at its mine, such as the erection of a brick boiler and engine house, 50 by 75 feet; the installation of four new steel

boilers, each with a capacity of 150-horse-power; also, one 275-horse-power Atlas Automatic Engine; one Westinghouse, 150 K. W. Generator; one 30-horse-power Atlas Engine, for coal conveyor; one twelve ton electric locomotive, Jeffrey type; three Jeffrey Electric Chain Coal Cutting Machines; three same kind coal drills; three Harrison Mining Machines; between 75 and 100 tons of new forty-pound steel rails, laid on tracks on all mine entries; new coal elevator; new pumps, and various other matters, costing in the aggregate, over \$40,000.

### CRABTREE MINE.

The Crabtree Coal Company also made many valuable improvements at its mine, such as putting in a 70-ton Fairbank railroad scales, with a 60-foot platform; also, a rope haulage plant complete, with a capacity of 800 tons, to bring coal from the mines over a track 2,000 feet long, all at a cost of about \$8,000.

### MONARCH.

The Monarch Mining Company added about \$3,000 worth of improvements to its mine, such as one new 100 K. W. Dynamo, and one new Atlas Engine.

### ACCIDENTS.

The accident record of the year, excepting one death there were only a few slight and unimportant injuries. The one death was a youth of 14 years, who lost his life on the outside, at Oak Hill Mine. While jumping from a mine car, as it was going down the track on the incline. Two other deaths occurred during the year, one in Diamond, and one in the Barnsley mine, but the victims were not employees of the company, and were only in the mines temporarily, without the knowledge of the company, and neither the company nor this office can be made in any sense responsible for such accidents.

### COKE.

The principal coke producing plant in the State is the one operated by the St. Bernard Coal Company at Earlington. It consists of 104 ovens, and gives employment to sixty-two men, (not included in the number of coal mine employees, as given elsewhere in this article.) Its production during 1899 was 35,497 tons, against 20,543 tons for 1898. The company is building twenty-five new ovens, and a largely increased product may be expected for 1900.

As regards the coal mining industry of the State, Hopkins county stands pre-eminent in many respects:

First—In its large area of un-

developed coal, of thick veins and superior quality.

Second—In the large per cent. of its population employed in the industry, and the still larger part receiving benefits therefrom.

Third—In its many large, splendidly equipped and productive mines.

Fourth—It leads in coal production. Of the entire output of the State for 1899, of 4,495,000 tons, it produced 1,265,709 tons, or much more than one-fourth the entire output of the State.

Fifth—It has the leading company, both as to coal and coke production—the St. Bernard Coal Company. The production of this company's several mines during the year was 777,250 tons.

Sixth—It has the leading mines: The first, or largest in output for the year, being that of the St. Bernard Coal Company, No. 9, at Earlington, which produced 222,410 tons, while the third, fourth, fifth and sixth in amount of production, all belong to this county, being the Reinecke (3d), 179,007 tons; the Diamond (4th), 169,332 tons; the St. Charles (5th), 141,276 tons, and 6th, the Earlington No. 11, 140,175 tons.

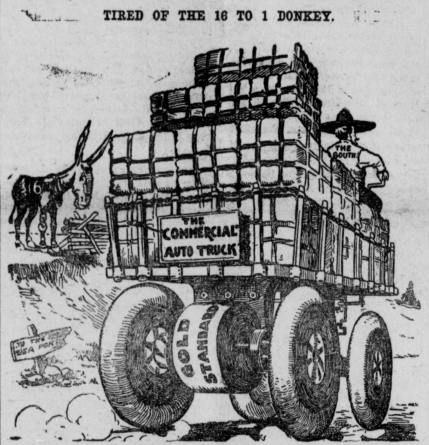
On the whole record as made,

### ENVIABLE MENTION

Made of a Hopkins County Boy by General Henry W. Lawton.

Orlean A. Pritchett, lately private Secretary of Major General Henry W. Lawton, was in Earlington Monday calling on friends. Mr. Pritchett had received instructions to report for duty to Major General Otis at Manila, and to go by the Atlantic and Mediterranean route on a vessel to sail from New York in a few days. He talks most interestingly about his experiences in the Philippines, where he was with the General until the latter's death on the field. If Orlean returns to Manila, he will find it somewhat more monotonous, for his time will be taken up wholly with office work in that city. While with Gen. Lawton, Orlean frequently volunteered and was permitted to accompany the General on expeditions after the Philippines, and this broke very effectively the monotony of clerical work or inactive residence in the city. This way Orlean had of going with the General obtained for him honorable mention from Lawton, one of America's greatest soldiers, in the General's report of a certain expedition. Mr. Pritchett did not know of this until after Lawton's death and hence must be very proud of it. Following is a copy of a letter of Lieut. Col. Clarence R. Edwards, stating the matter in Gen. Lawton's report:

"HEADQUARTERS' FIRST DIVISION, EIGHTH ARMY CORPS, Manila, P. I., Dec. 1, 1899.  
"To Mr. Orlean A. Pritchett, Stenographer to Maj. Gen. Lawton.  
"SIR:—I have the honor to inform



Individual on Bank: "Sufferin' hosse radish! Guess I'll have to go to the bonnyard."—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

with present conditions and future prospects, the entire people of the county may well congratulate themselves on the existence in their midst of such favorable conditions for living and wealth, and should strive in every honorable way to maintain them.

G. W. STONE,  
Inspector of Mines

### Rev. John M. Crowe to Lecture.

Rev. John M. Crowe, the eloquent preacher and lecturer, will deliver his famous lecture, "That Wife of Yours and her Husband," at the M. E. Church, South, here next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Crowe is well known here, having conducted a three weeks' meeting here last spring, after which he gave a lecture that captivated his audience. As our Earlington people know, he is one of the finest speakers ever heard in Earlington. This lecture is one of the finest of his productions and has been delivered to many highly pleased audiences. It is instructive as well as amusing, and our people who fail to hear it will miss a rare treat. Tickets will be on sale at this office.

### Y. M. C. A. Meeting a Success.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting at the Baptist Church in Madisonville Sunday afternoon was an interesting one. Interesting talks were made by Messrs. Howard Caldwell, I. Bailey and E. B. Bourland. The choir rendered some excellent music.

Miss Phil Poynter, of Owensboro, has been appointed to act as sponsor for the Kentucky division, U. C. V.

you that the Division Commander, Major General Henry W. Lawton, U. S. Volunteers, in his final report, dated October 9, 1899, of an Expedition to the Province of Cavite, Luzon, P. I., June 19th and 1899, saw fit to mention favorably your services during that Expedition.

"The following is an extract from the General's report of that Expedition:

"Mr. O. A. Pritchett, Civilian Clerk, had shown at the Battle of Santa Cruz and during the Expedition to the Province of Laguna, on April 19th last, coolness under fire throughout that engagement, and during the almost continuous fighting of June 10th, he was constantly present with the Division Commander, and in the absence of all staff officers and aides, two or three times on that date carried messages and orders under fire. His horse was shot from under him on this occasion. The valuable services rendered on both of these occasions entitle Mr. Pritchett to reward and recognition." Very respectfully,

CLARENCE R. EDWARDS,  
Lieut. Col. 4th Inf'ty, U. S. V.  
Actg. Asst. Adjutant General.  
Official.  
R. SEWELL,  
Captain and Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. A."

### Baker-Coleman.

Mr. Waverly Baker and Miss Coleman, both of this city, quietly hid themselves away to Evansville, where they were united in marriage Monday afternoon. They returned to this city where they will reside.

Don't fail to hear Rev. Mr. Crowe, Wednesday evening March 7, at the M. E. Church, South.

## DEADLY PARALLEL.

Board Member Boston Tells How Striking Miners in the West Live on Eighty-Five Cents a Week.

## INDUCEMENTS TO HOPKINS COUNTY.

J. D. Wood & Co. Offer the Same Support to Hopkins County Miners If They Will Join His Order and Strike.

Contrast With Prosperous Condition of Our Good Miners.

One year ago the miners employed by the "Big Four" companies in Arkansas, Indian Territory, Kansas and Missouri were getting good and satisfactory wages, plenty of work and all doing better than for many years, when the walking delegates of the U. M. W. of America, appeared on the scene. As usual these thrifty delegates, who get well paid salaries and expenses for their efforts in starving women and children (see Boston's letter), made great promises of support if these well-to-do miners would only join the order and thus enable the order to manage the business of the "Big Four." The smooth talk of the delegate, the rich promises and the usual harangue about the "rights of the miner" won the miners over and they became members of the organization and struck. But the Big Four didn't care to change managers, preferred to keep charge of their own business and at once proceeded to fill up the mines with new men. Many of the old miners went to work, but many others preferred to take eighty-five cents a week and stand out for their "rights"—the rights, according to Boston's letter, of starving their wives and children.

In the same column of the United Mine Workers Journal from which Boston's letter is taken is a letter from J. D. Wood, the President of the U. M. W. in Western Kentucky, advising the miners of Hopkins that they should join his organization and strike and get a possible eighty-five cents per week or \$3.82 per month with the striking brothers in Arkansas, Missouri, Kansas, and Indian Territory.

Following are the letters in part, giving the parts pertinent to the situation:

"Huntington, Ark., Feb. 17.—Editor Journal: I thought it might be of interest to our readers to tell them of some of the experiences I met with in my travels in Arkansas. I arrived in the State of Arkansas on the 13th and on the 14th myself and Brother Struble boarded the train for Jenny Lind, Ark. \* \* \* On our arrival at Jenny Lind I found quite a different status of affairs from what I found there eleven months ago. Then I found the miners living in houses fairly comfortable. Now what a change! I asked Brother Struble where the union miners lived. He said in Uniontown, over there in the woods. I was anxious to see Uniontown, so we wended our way toward that noted city. \* \* \* After supper we went to the meeting over the store. I do not

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## THE LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS.

Paris, Lyons & Mediterranean Railway Company, the largest railway in undertaking in Europe, has ordered 75,000 tons of American coal.

**Railroads in Missouri.**  
A writer in a recent Harper's thus reviews the subject: "It has been seven years since the first of the roads to adopt the new policy began to reach out and study the social condition of its public, but since then the idea has spread rapidly, until today there is scarcely a road west of Chicago and St. Louis that is not doing more or less educational work generally ignored. The road decided to make this region profitable to itself by calling attention to its merits and inducing farmers and merchants to settle there. The aid of the United States department of Agriculture was called in. The ground was tested, and its specific qualities advertised. After that educational pamphlets were prepared, and agents of the road sent into various populous sections of the country to induce individuals to come and take up their residence there. At the same time, it was decided that it would be of little use to induce a settler to come and leave the settlers to get along as best they could, so a policy of instruction and assistance was inaugurated. The road undertook to organize enterprises which would utilize the natural resources and products of the country, and put ready money into the hands of the farmers. As a result, it found that it would need to discover markets for the goods manufactured, or it would lose the advantage of its labor, and thus came about the present policy, which is nothing if not broad. Its success has stimulated imitation to such an extent that nearly all roads have some one of the many features of the first road in operation, and several have all of them."

Cal Martin, the well known and popular telegraph operator has given up his position as night operator here and is now driving an engine on the road.

Fireman Jack Stokes was on the passenger engine last week and you can rest assured the engine was kept hot.

The lack of steam power quite frequently now retards business on the Henderson division.

James Cronwell, who has for the last few months been working in THE Bee office, has cast his lot with the railroad company as a brakeman, and as "Jeems" is a good boy, we look for a good report from him as a railroad man.

Assistant Superintendent Dunn was here Monday, looking after the interests of the company.

Dispatcher Ed L. Wise received the sad news of the death of his father, Saturday and at once left for Tennessee to attend the funeral.

The heavy business being done on the Henderson division is taxing both the locomotives and men to their utmost capacity.

For the purpose of taking his son to be treated by a physician, Dispatcher Featherstone visited Evansville last Monday.

Conductor Dan Upton is on the sick list and Conductor Bonham has charge of his crew.

Louisville at last seems to be awakening to a sense of justice and business men there see a great loss should the L. & N. take headquarters and shops away from there, and yet they patronize the paper that is today doing all it can to pull down the corporation that has made the State so prosperous.

Dispatcher Cazat is the new addition to the dispatcher's office here, and is said to have had several years' experience in the business and is just the man needed to do the job.

Wise and Featherstone in handling the train on the Henderson division. Robert Warren, of Mt. Vernon, Ill., was struck by a Louisville & Nashville freight train near Kelley last Saturday morning, and perhaps fatally injured, his skull being fractured, and his back and one leg broken.

The following clipping from Sunday's Globe-Democrat shows how the railroad officials are knocked out by the date selected by the Democratic for their National convention:

"Western railroad officials think a serious mistake was made by the Democratic National Committee in fixing the date of the Democratic National Convention at Kansas City for July 4. A worse day for the convention, they say, could not have been chosen, as on that day the railroads are running cheap excursions between all points east of the Mis-

souri River, and generally all the available railroad equipment is required for the handling of this business. Under the circumstances, the railroads, and especially those running direct to Kansas City, fall to see how enough equipment can be secured at that time for the handling of the crowds that will want to go to the convention. To give up the regular 4th of July holiday excursions to accommodate the Democratic convention crowds, railroad officials say, would be poor policy. With the limited accommodations the railroads will be able to furnish for the convention business, they propose to make a higher rate for that occasion than they would have made otherwise. As the railroads have other business for all their cars, there will be no incentive for any road to cut the rate or grant special privileges to secure an undue share of the business, and consequently there will be no difficulty in maintaining the rate the railroads may agree upon."

### L. & N. Earnings.

The report of the gross earnings of the Louisville & Nashville railroad for the third week of February shows an increase over the same time last year of \$125,070. The table of gross earnings in the last report is as follows:

For third week of February, 1900, \$540,165; corresponding week of last year, \$415,095. Increase, 125,070.

Total for three weeks of February, 1900 \$1,621,680; corresponding period of last year, \$1,186,615. Increase, \$435,065.

July 1 to latest date this year, \$18,087,304; corresponding period of last year, \$15,087,304; corresponding period of last year, \$15,001,101. Increase, \$3,086,104.

### New Attraction.

The Arcadia Hotel, at Dawson Springs, always filled in season and the popular summer resort of this county, will have a new attraction this season. N. M. Holzman has bought for the Arcadia company two superior ten pin alleys which will be put in before the season opens. Bowling has heretofore proven attractive at Dawson Springs with very inferior accessories and now with the first-class outfit will become a feature of the hotel's entertainment.

The following distinguished arrivals from Evansville are now in Hopkins County for the purpose of managing the affairs of the Hopkins County miners. A gentleman from Indiana by the name of Woods—a blacksmith; a gentleman from Evansville by the name of Kabeer; and to this list add Jo Cline. What more business managers do Hopkins County miners need?

## Have You Heard of It?

You may have heard about SCOTT'S EMULSION and have a vague notion that it is cod-liver oil with its bad taste and smell and all its other repulsive features. It is cod-liver oil, the purest and the best in the world, but made so palatable that almost everybody can take it. Nearly all children like it and ask for more.

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## DOWN IN THE MIES.

Purell, alias Jones, a noted labor agitator, is in our midst, using his influence among the men who frequent saloons to induce them to become obedient servants, or more properly speaking, slaves of the United Mine Workers. During the time of slavery in the Southern States the slave knew nothing but to obey the command of his master. So it is with the followers of this destroyer of happiness. They humbly submit to the placing of the yoke on their shoulders, under the promise that their wants will be supplied even during idleness.

But it will be seen that Purell is not alone in this outrageous effort to perpetrate what he might justly call a crime against the laboring man, for here comes one J. D. Wood, a preacher of false doctrine, encouraging the faithful few to continue to starve families and others to follow in their footsteps. A glance at the following portion of a letter from him appearing in the last issue of the U. M. W. Journal will plainly reveal the fact that he is totally ignorant of the make-up and condition of the Hopkins county mine, to whom he alludes.

"I think we will have 1,500 men on strike by March 1. They are not making a decent living working, and we have promised them a living wage. We must certainly feed them."

And to show how faithfully the organization of which he is considered one of the leaders, carries out its promises as regards providing striking miners with the necessities of life during a strike, we quote from the St. Louis Manufacturer, the condition of the Arkansas mine and similar circumstances as given by mine inspector of that State:

"The gravity of a strike can only be rightly understood and fully appreciated by those who have lived where such a struggle existed. It can only be measured properly by those who have seen real estate values double and disappear in a week. Homes, the result of years of saving and labor, pass into the hands of small creditors; men harpessed, wives sick without medicine, children crying for necessities, tents for houses and the woods for home; languishing capital; unreturned dividends, hopeless investments, bankruptcy for the small dealer; idleness, want, crime and misery. All these are natural and inevitable results which attend every struggle like that from which the people of Western Arkansas are suffering."

And then again this agitator Wood either suffers himself to be misled by false pretenses or is incapable of handling the facts in a manner befitting a lover of truth, when he says "they are not making a decent living working." To show the falsity of this ridiculous assertion it is only necessary to take a look at our daily newspapers and mining throughout this country, except those who have sacrificed all for the purpose of joining the order. And when Wood gets through organizing he will find his figures cut down to about 100. If it reaches that number.

Said an official of the St. Bernard Company last Saturday: "We require two hundred cars of coal more than our production to fill orders now on hand."

A great howl is going up all over this country against the trust of accumulation of wealth to control the price of products. But we hear nothing said against that gigantic trust, the U. M. W., that numbers one hundred thousand strong, organized to control the price of labor. One gives work to the laboring man while the other in many cases throws him out of work which is the best friend to the laborer.

Several changes were made in the location of mine foremen this last Friday had the effect of cutting down the production of coal at that mine several thousand bushels for a day or two.

An official of Monahan mine says that the U. M. Workers have given that company a chance to work until May 1st, when a strike will be ordered.

dered. We venture the assertion that the mine will continue to run regardless of what these dictators may say or do.

Which is the worse, a set of men who will hold you up and rob you, or a set of men who will rob their families of the necessities of life, by a refusal to work. The first named would be considered criminals and would be punished by law, while the latter are martyrs in the eyes of the agitator.

Some of those who openly boast that the St. Bernard Coal company has been unable since the Barnsley miners quit work to produce but little coal at that point are certainly committing a grave mistake. It is true for a few days after the men laid down their tools that their places, through kindness on the part of the St. Bernard company, were filled open with the hope that they would see the error of their way and return to work, but refusal on their part to do so released the company and since that time there has not been a day that hundreds of miners could have been put in there if the company so desired. Even now, although using a reduced force the supply is equal to the demand. Everything within the bounds of reason has been done by the St. Bernard company to induce those miners to continue to work, but so far they content themselves with remaining idle and circulating stories which they hope may have some effect on the minds of the miners. It is a pity that their refusal to work has shut down the mine.

### Shipping Coal to Newcast.

This article from the Globe-Democrat shows how great the demand for coal is even abroad.

The coal famine in Europe is telling for one of the United States. Larger and larger quantities of coal are being exported from this country. The total of the country's shipments of merchandise abroad is at remarkably high figures at this moment. All sorts of goods, raw and manufactured, are being sent abroad in steadily increasing amounts. Coal is beginning to figure in the exports to an important extent.

Several facts account for the scarcity of coal in Europe at the present time. One of these is the activity in the industries, which is being seen in the Old World as well as in the United States, though not to the same extent. This necessitates the use of an increased amount of fuel. Another reason for the shortage is the inability to increase the home supply quick enough to meet the demand. Still another is the war in South Africa, which has, through the necessity for the shipment of troops and munitions of war, taken away a good many vessels which would otherwise be conveying coal from the producing to the consuming countries. Every great country in Europe—England, Germany, France, Italy, Austria, Russia—is feeling the pressure which the coal shortage is bringing.

It is fortunate for the United States and the rest of the world that this country's coal deposits are practically inexhaustible, and that the quantity mined is constantly on the increase. England has held the lead in coal output hitherto, but in 1890 the United States passed to the front, though its excess over England is small as yet. The margin is bound to grow broader and broader however. The mines here are more numerous and prolific than they are in the British island. The cost of mining is as low here now as it is there, and it will soon be lower. The tendency in England is toward higher cost as the supply diminishes. England is importing coal from the United States, and there is a strong desire in that country in the present emergency to discontinue all exportation of the product of the coal mines. The consequence of this tendency, of course, will be to further increase the exports of American coal to the European continent. These are great days for the producers of all sorts of American commodities.

Concerning the state of affairs in Great Britain, translate the contents of a dispatch to a local trade paper:

"For some days the price of coal has been rising steadily in London. Ordinarily coal sells in the city for 25 francs (\$4.38). It is selling today (December 28) at 37.50 francs (\$7.24). The coal dealers would not advise the public that next week the price will advance to 50 francs (\$9.55). The week following it will probably jump to 100 francs (\$19.30), or rather it will cost nothing, because there will be no coal to obtain."

"The coal dealers declare that they can do nothing, as the government has requisitioned all the available rolling stock for two months to transport troops and war material."

## Mrs. Pinkham's Friends

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Every woman knows some woman friend who has been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. What does this friend say about it?

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Puzzled women write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice which she gives without charge. The advice is confidential and accurate. It has helped a million women. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass.

Moreover, every sack of coal that can be procured is being monopolized for the foundries at Birmingham, Aldershot and Woolwich and for the depot at Southampton."

The syndicate price for coal last year at Marseilles was \$5.71 free on board. The local price, including Customhouse dues and lighterage amount to 88 cents per ton when delivered to vessels in port. The syndicate price for inland trade is higher as the various charges, including duty, amount to about \$1.08.

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 21.—The miners of the Procter Coal company of Jellico, about 400 in number, have been ordered to strike by the president of the miners' union, but none of the men walked out today. About 1,500 men of the union were dismissed by the company, and it is on this account that the strike is ordered.

It is believed at the general office located here, that the miners will not walk out because they say from \$10 to 12 per cent more is being paid the employees than union men in other mines are getting.

A secret meeting of the miners was held tonight and some definite action is expected tomorrow. No other than the Procter mines are expected to be involved.

### A Strike's Latest

A Kansas City correspondent wrote the St. Louis latest: "The manufacturer the following political production, from the pen of a striking miner. The man had been out on a strike at Bonanza, Ark., for eleven months, but returned to work last week. His reasons for returning were set forth to the miners' union in the following verses:

"Come on, old boys, and listen. And I will sing you a song. If you will wait and listen, I won't detain you long. It's about the present struggle. You can stick it in your craw That I have gone to scabbing in the State of Kansas."

"My name, it is Bill Johnson; I was raised in a Missouri town. From one coal camp to another, I've been all around."

"For eleven long months I've been on a strike. We've got to go to draw; I saw I either had to scab, Or else leave Arkansas."

"On the 28th of February, We were ordered on suspension By the workers of the mine. I've been in three big struggles Over rough-and-tumble law. But the 'darndest' hick we ever got."

"We've got to be in Arkansas. 'Oh! they told us that we couldn't lose."

"If we'd only make a fight; But the 'Big Four' got bull-headed And our summer clothes got tight. We moved out under shade trees, But the 'Big Four' got our law. They dubbed our camp 'Bean Holler' In the State of Arkansas."

"My pocketbook got empty; My debts I couldn't pay. I looked just like a common tramp You meet most every day. My children got barefooted. My wife looked like a squaw; That's why I went to scabbing In the State of Arkansas."

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Dec. 14 1898. Holland, Mich.

minister of the Netherlands to the United States, arrived, Tuesday, on the steamer Rotterdam from Rotterdam.

half of the fund for the widows and orphans of "The Absent-Minded Beggar," was a pronounced success, \$1,000 being realized.

New York, Feb. 21.—Ex-Congressman Harry Miner, formerly a well-known theatrical manager, died Thursday night.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1900.

HAVING failed in the Goebel law Jo Blackburn wants the old open ballot again and the old open building.

It is asserted on good authority that Mr. Bryan found the South the "enemies' country" on the expansion question.

In this good year of 1900 the per capita money circulation of the United States is \$25.98, the highest in our history. In 1890 it was \$13.85, in 1880 it was \$4.90.

THERE will be no settlement of the fierce conflict between Bryanism and American prosperity until next November. American prosperity simply refuses to suspend hostilities.—New York Mail and Express.

THE Kentucky school teachers are now to suffer for the political ambition of the men who were defeated by the people at the polls in November. They get no more money while the present middle lasts.

It is not understood here why the Goebel State Commission should not have thrown Hopkins out too—Bob Bradley and Ruby Lafoon said it should be done—except on the ground that they could throw out enough without Hopkins.

It will be difficult to convince the voters this year that there is urgent need of a change when all of them have employment at good wages and the people are contented and happy. A blind man ought to be able to see that.—Cleveland Leader.

VERY appropriately the only portion of the State affairs upon which the Poyntz-made branch of the government can administer is the criminal division. They have full assurance that their control of the penitentiaries is for the time being absolute.

POYNTE, Yonts and Fulton have done their appointed work and after an altogether unnecessary consumption of time in "going-over-evidence"—play have issued certificates to the rest of the candidates for State offices who were defeated at the polls in November 1899.

THERE is a difference between a penitentiary warden in Kentucky and a court of justice. The warden is appointed by a Goebel commission; the Judge is not. The warden doesn't recognize a pardon issued by the Governor of the State; the court of justice does.

UREY WOODSON said that only a chosen class should be "permitted to govern" in Kentucky, and the board of Poyntz, Yonts and Fulton reiterate in their "decision" that the majority rule is not in it any more in Kentucky. But the men elected by the people still compose the State administration.

FRANKFORT banks refuse to honor the checks or vouchers drawn by either the State authorities who were commissioned by the people in November 1899 or by the fellows who are knocking for admittance to the State offices on the strength of made-to-order certificates of February, 1900.

READ Board Member Boston's letter from Arkansas. What an enthusiastic meeting he must have had as he proceeded to expound the principles of unionism

## BRYAN'S EASTERN TRIP.



STRUCK AN AWFUL FROST.

—New York Tribune.

to the starving and almost naked \$5-cent-a-week miners, who had experienced the brotherly liberality of the U. M. W. of A. for eleven months.

ONE effect the ambition of the Goebel candidate has is to embarrass financial transactions in the State, that is to keep for the time in private hands the money due the State and to prevent the obligations of the State from being paid. But the people are yet in control. Their money is in the hands of the State officials elected by the people in November.

"WHEREVER our flag is raised, there is the spirit of 1776, which is that a man has rights which is a man. The question of expansion is simple. We are not at any parting of the ways. If the extension of our principles means right and justice, they cannot be extended too far."—Father Stafford at the meeting of the Loyal Legion, Washington, D. C., February 22.

A TABLE printed by Bradstreet's shows that 3,553 business houses of New York State which employed 298,957 men in 1896, in 1899 had on their rolls 356,278 employees. The increase of \$20,000,000 in 1899 wages over the 1896 wages completes this very significant comparison. Of course there is no prosperity here and we should have Mr. Bryan and free silver this year, sure.

SOME Democratic editors were jubilant over vapors of the young-man-afraid-of-the-place ex-Consul Macrum, who had announced that an alliance exists between the United States and Great Britain. The President and the Secretary of State sent a letter to Congress demolishing Mr. Macrum and his "issue." Then Secretary Gage dubbed Macrum "an ass" and the aforesaid writers are dumb.

THE official report of British losses, before the recent disastrous bombardment of the beleaguered Boers under Cronje, in which the British losses must have been very large along with the terrible casualties to their enemies, announced losses aggregating 11,000 men in South Africa. Americans now remember with gratitude the extremely slight losses that attended the Spanish-American engagements.

SENATOR BLACKBURN says of the Goebel law now: "If failed to come up to what its friends claimed for it just as it failed to produce the effects which its opponents declared it was intended for and would accomplish." Both propositions are exactly true and mean the same thing, viz.: that the people were so aroused at the outrage proposed under and by the Goebel law that not even the Goebel machine was able to defeat the will of an outraged people.

"The Union you fought for is to-day stronger, mightier, freer than it ever was before. The standard you fought for is stronger than it ever was before. There has been within the past two years a reunion of all the people, a reunion sanctified by a common sacrifice. Followers of Grant and Lee have fought with equal valor and have fought in the same cause."—President McKinley to his companions of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Washington, D. C., February 22.

SENATOR BLACKBURN realizes in his heart that the Goebel law is wrong and now, after it has served to put him in the United States Senate again, he wants it modified—upon the ground of expediency. He sees danger ahead in the Presidential election, which, if close and contested in Kentucky, would call for trial beyond the jurisdiction of a partisan Kentucky Court. The Senator thinks the Goebel law is all right so long as he and his co-conspirators can select the tribunal before which it shall come trial, but cannot trust it to hold before a higher and unbiased tribunal.

MR. W. E. BOTTLAND, of Dixon, in a letter telling how he held out as a Republican against his will until driven from his moorings by overwhelming American policy of expansion and the sturdy stand of Kentucky Republicans and independent Democrats against Goebelism, closes his "reasons" for going over to the Democrats with this:

"And, have not the people of Kentucky had 'wrenches enough' to stir a fever in the blood of rage, and make the sinews of the new born babe strong as steel."

Truly, and will have wrongs thus powerful to stir as long as the Goebel law remains on the Statute books. There is no liberty for Kentuckians—no peace—until the rights of all citizens in our bounds to vote and to have their votes fairly counted is guaranteed.

## "An Opinion as is an Opinion."

As a matter of curiosity the people of Kentucky will read the decision of the Returning Board and its elaborate opinion: as a matter of fact this board has simply done what the men who designed the bill intended it should do; put manacles on the people of Kentucky and taken from them the right to select their own officers.

The board should in self-protection have done as the committee of contest did; it should have rendered its decision without going into details or filing any opinion. That decision as it stands and that opinion will constitute the platform of the people on which they will go the polls and sweep these men from power.

## "The Best is the Cheapest."

Experience teaches that good clothes wear longest, good food gives best nutrition, and a good medicine that cures disease is naturally the best and cheapest. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine money can buy, because it cures when all others fail.

Poor Health—"Bad poor health for years, pains in shoulders, back and hips, with constant headache, nervousness and no appetite. Used Hood's Sarsaparilla, gained strength and can work hard all day eat heartily and sleep well. I took it because it helped my husband to whom it gave strength." Mrs. E. J. Giffels, Moose Lake, Minn.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
NEVER DISAPPOINTS

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

There never was such an opinion; such a bold usurpation of power; such an assumption of omnipotence; such a contempt for the commonest principles of law and justice. It recalls the deliverances of the conspirators who gathered about "Napoleon the Little," to overthrow the republic of France fifty years ago.

The board impeaches Gov. Bradley; it censures Judge Toney; it arraigns Judge Evans, and it overrules them all, so that it can get at the four counties of Jefferson, Johnson, Magoffin and Martin. These counties are thrown out and the election reversed.

The point of interest is that what this committee has done openly, has had to do before the world, and defend by this opinion, the so-called Legislature has done in a corner hiding its head in the dark, and fondly believing it was deceiving the whole people. The disguise is off, and now the whole conspiracy stands revealed in utter nakedness.—Louisville Evening Post.

## Good for the Children.

Mrs. Ella Hinson, of Hinton, Ala., writes on Aug. 12, 1898: "I advise all mothers to give their children Plaster's Nubian Tea when they are puny or fretful. I keep this medicine in the house and when the children are ailing I give them a dose and that is the last of it." Sold by St. Bernard Druggist.

## Christian County Millionaires.

Edward White, a stone-mason living near Pembroke, has been notified that he and his two brothers are heirs to an immense fortune left by an uncle who recently died in Ireland.

## Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scurvy, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure was complete and her health is excellent." This shows that thousands have proved that Electric Bitters is the best and surest remedy known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, measles, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50c. Sold by St. Bernard Druggist. Guaranteed.

To Cure a Cold in One Day  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Elder Davis, the colored Christian evangelist, has been preaching in the Christian church to good audiences this week. He is a good preacher, and his singers who accompany him render some splendid music.

## DIGEST YOUR FOOD.

Many a person of all ages is caused by not eating properly digested, it causes poisons and goes into the blood and then you are liable to all manner of diseases. The human system is heir to. Use Dr. Cassell's German Liver Food and watch the result. You will feel the good effects after taking one dose. Give it and be convinced. Price 25c.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam Cures Your Cough. Just the Medicine for Children.

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

## McGregor-Brooks.

Mr. Burt McGregor and Miss Nora Brooks were married last Wednesday night at the bride's home, Rev. D. S. Edwards of Hanson, performing the ceremony. THE BEE joins their happy voyage through life.

**Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP**  
Will cure a Cough or Cold at once. It positively relieves all throat troubles. Small doses. Price 50 cents at druggists.

## Mrs. T. Z. Morrow Dead.

Mrs. T. Z. Morrow died Sunday night at her home in Somerset. She was the wife of Circuit Judge T. Z. Morrow and a sister of ex-Gov. W. O. Bradley.

## Wonderful Discovery.

LUNSFORD, ALA., April 18, 1898.  
NEW SPENCER MEDICINE CO.

DEAR SIR:—I have been troubled with Liver and stomach complaint. I had no appetite and my general health was very bad. I took medicine from four different doctors and they failed to do me any good. I got no relief until I began to use your Nubian Tea. I used about two dollars worth of it, and it did me more good than all the medicine I ever took. I have gained thirty-five pounds in weight and my health is very good. I can sleep soundly and my appetite is excellent. I can recommend Planter's Nubian Tea to the world as being a God-send to any community. Any one who doubts this statement can write to me.

OSCAR BAKER.  
Sold by St. Bernard Druggist.

The importation into Germany of canned, corned and pickled meats, as well as sausages is to be prohibited by a bill now before the Reichstag. America will be the loser.

## Consumption Cured.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam will cure any case of consumption if taken in time. Consumption starts with a slight cough or cold. This is where consumption gets its start and if you will use Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam, you will cure the cough, heal the lungs and throat and avoid the most dreaded of all diseases, consumption. Delay in attending to a slight cough may cost you your life. Large size bottles, Price 50c and 50c. For sale by St. Bernard Druggist.

The orange crop in Florida has been hurt by the recent cold wave. Devices have been put on the market to protect the growing crop against frost.

## Neuralgia Banished.

There is no more severe or stubborn pain than neuralgia. A remedy that will cure any pain. Dr. G. S. Stivers, dentist, Louisville, Ky., says: "My wife suffered over two years from severe neuralgia, which several physicians failed to relieve. I then got Morley's Wonderful Balm, which relieved her in five minutes and soon effected a permanent cure. Free trial bottles at Campbell & Co.'s."

Out of 1,967 cars of corn received at Chicago in three days only four cars were No. 2 grade all the rest No. 3.

## He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed. But he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest cure on Earth and the best Salve in the World. 25 cents a box. Sold by St. Bernard Druggist.



Eight Rooms, Halls, Closets, Bays, Bath, Attic, Balcony, Porches and Cellar.

A special election will soon be held at Franklin to decide whether or not spirituous, vinous or malt liquors shall be sold within the city limits.

## A TIMELY HINT.

You would be wise and see that your blood is rich and pure and your whole system put in a perfectly healthy condition by the use of Dr. Cassell's German Liver Food. This food will be free from malaria, typhoid fever, colds and the grip. Dr. Cassell's German Liver Food is the best medicine money can buy.

For your Cold try Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. Price 25c and 50c a Bottle.

For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store.

The higher price of cotton and the largely increased sale of fertilizers indicate a large increase in the area devoted to cotton in this country.

If your child is cross or peevish, it is no doubt troubled with worms. White's Cream Vermifuge will remove the worms, and its tonic effect restore its natural cheerfulness. Price 25c at St. Bernard Drug Store.

Debs says that the prosperity of the country is a "ghastly lie." All right. The more ghastly lies we have mixed with our lies the happier we will all be.—Lawrence (Kan.) World.

## GROVES



**TASTELESS CHILL TONIC**

IS J. S. AS GOOD FOR ADULTS. WARRANTED. PRICE 50c.

GALATIA, Ill., Nov. 26, 1898.  
J. S. As Good For Adults. I have used your Tasteless Chill Tonic and have brought these grocers already this year. In all our experience of 15 years, in our best business, we never sold an article that gave such universal satisfaction as your Tonic. Yours truly, ASBURY, CASE & CO.

**PARKER'S HAIR BALM**  
Cures itching scalp, keeps the hair from falling out, restores the hair to its natural color, and keeps it from becoming gray. It is the best hair dressing in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by St. Bernard Druggist.

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Plans, Details and Specifications drawn up on short notice. Estimates on work and materials cheerfully given. Correspondence solicited.

## GOOD THINGS!

If you have the palate of an epicure, or a "sweet tooth," each can be satisfied to the full from our shelves and counters, which are

**Loaded With All the Good Things the Earth Produces.**

No more choice and complete line of goods to go to eat can be found in any store except a large city grocery. That's what ours is. It is not situated in a large city, but it is not in any "hen-coop of a town," and our customers know a good thing when they see it. Hence we are able to carry a magnificent stock of Groceries, and to sell them at close figures. Buy your eating from our shelves, and you will have a good taste in your mouth for a month.

**St. Bernard Gen'l Store.**

## LOCAL NEWS.

Henry Harris has been on the sick list for several days.

The Sunday-school resumed work last Sunday, the smallpox scare having abated.

Rev. W. M. Rogers, of Nashville, is preaching at the General Baptist Church this week.

Iley Lane has about recovered from an attack of small pox, and will soon be able to be out again.

The public school opened Monday, after having been closed down for some time on account of smallpox.

James H. Cromwell has accepted a position with the L. & N. Railroad Co., and has gone to twisting brakes.

Prof. Delmont Uley and Miss Virgie Graddy opened school at Mortons Gap Monday with a fair attendance.

Mr. Fred Hobgood, of the Nebo country, left Monday for Georgia, where he will accept a position in a cotton mill.

There were regular services at the Christian Church last Sunday, Eld. I. H. Teel, the pastor, preached both morning and evening.

Elder Davis, a colored minister of the Christian Church, held services on the streets several days and nights last week and this.

Preparations are being made for a big dance at Mortons Gap next Saturday night, March 3rd. Gabe Stokes and Henry Downer are the committee.

On account of the extremely bad weather the Hopkins county roads are in a very bad shape. Some places in some of the roads are almost impassable.

There will be regular services at the M. E. Church, South, next Sunday. R. M. White, the pastor, will preach at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

Miss Sue Burr resumed her Kindergarten work with her class of little folks at the library hall Monday morning after a suspension because of the smallpox scare.

Ben W. Robinson went to Louisville Friday afternoon to meet his wife who was returning from a visit to Halsey, Ky. He returned to Earlinton Monday morning.

Joseph E. Mothershead, who is having his eyes treated by a Louisville specialist, in a letter to his father Dr. N. G. Mothershead, says that he is improving. He is expected home next week.

Messrs. Keadley and Morrow, the well known Nebo merchants, have bought a corner lot in that town and will soon begin the erection of a handsome two-story brick building. It will be a nice addition to the business portion of the town.

Mr. L. W. Rice, who formerly lived here, has sold his home in Madisonville and is expecting to return to Earlinton to make it his home in the future. Mr. Rice and his excellent wife have many friends who will gladly welcome them back to Earlinton.

Mr. Will Hall, formerly of Swarthmore College, Pa., a relative of Mayor Burr's family, who has visited Earlinton and is now in the west for his health has been made president of the telephone company at Albuquerque, New Mexico. Mr. Hall and certain friends having bought the lines and business of the local company.

With this issue THE BEE again presents the advertisement of Contractor Marion McCord, one of the most competent and successful builders in this section and who is always busy when there is anything to be done. Mr. McCord knows a good thing when he sees it and of course builds better than his competitors know—when he advertises in THE BEE.

Geo. C. Atkinson, R. M. Salmon, C. E. Owen, Dr. L. B. Bone and W. P. Ross are the Hopkins County gentlemen who started to New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras Sunday afternoon. Dr. Bone and Mr. Owen will extend their trip to California and will probably be absent for six weeks. They will visit Los Angeles and other California and Western points.

Contractor M. McCord has just finished a set of plans and closed contract for a new frame church with tower to be erected on Robinson Street north of Main, for the colored Missionary Baptist congregation of this place. Work will begin on this new edifice as soon as weather will permit and when complete will add greatly to the appearance of things in that part of town.

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome  
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

## PERSONAL.

J. C. Clyce, of Henderson, and C. C. Rambo, of Madisonville, were in Earlinton last week, soliciting insurance.

Prof. C. M. Lutz and Miss Mollie Plain, of Madisonville, were the guests of Miss Mary Mothershead one evening last week.

Mrs. Jno. M. Victory and Miss Pauline Davis spent Saturday in Henderson.

Orlean Pritchett, of Madisonville, who was private secretary to the late Gen. Lawton, was in Earlinton a few hours Monday.

Carl Woolfolk spent Sunday with his family in Madisonville.

Mr. C. H. Kelley, collector for P. F. Collier Publishing Co., was here the first of the week.

Henry Quinzer spent last week with relatives in Madisonville.

Lee O'Bryan, of Madisonville, spent several days here on business this week.

Albert Keown has returned from a visit to relatives in Ohio county.

Ed Coffey, of Slaughter'sville, was here Monday.

Henry Brown is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown.

Bradley Wilson, of Madisonville, passed through Earlinton, Monday.

J. F. DeVylde was in Evansville Sunday.

Mrs. Phil Schlamp, of Henderson, has been visiting relatives here.

Jerrold Johnson was in Madisonville on business Monday.

R. M. Wheat filled his appointment at Nebo Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Finley, of the country, gave us a pleasant call Tuesday.

G. W. Barber spent a few days this week at his old home Mt. Vernon, Ind.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. Frank J. Chene, of makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this fifth day of December, A. D. 1898.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system. Send for testimonials, free. J. F. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best. Two Mormon elders, who were here this week, in course of conversation about troubles they have met in their pilgrimages said that while Kentucky was not entirely free from assaults upon Mormon missionaries yet the State had a much better record in this regard than many other States. They could not secure a free hall in which to preach Mormonism and left town with the idea that Earlinton was a very forsaken sort of a place.

"Deeds are Fruits." Words are but leaves. It is not what we say, but what we do. Some pills do that tells the story. The many wonderful cures effected by these pills are the fruits of the fact that it should be judged. These prove it to be the great, unequalled remedy for dyspepsia, rheumatism, scrofula, salt rheum, catarrh and all other ailments due to impoverished blood.

Hood's Pills are non-irritating, mild, effective.

Mrs. Hazelie Dead. Mrs. Hazelie, of Leitchfield, who was in an elevator accident at that place, died Saturday from the effects of her wounds. She was the wife of W. W. Hazelie, a well known business man.

A Life and Death Fight. Mr. A. Hines, of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost \$5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung Troubles. Regular size 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottles free at St. Bernard Drugstore."

If you need a Biscuit Board, an ironing board, a kitchen table, a window seat or flower stand, quilting frames, a new mantle, or a new grate that will make a hotter fire in the old house than has been since "cold" was invented, call on Mr. McCord.

## Victory's Store Robbed.

Mr. Jno. M. Victory was made the victim of another robbery last Saturday night. Some person, or persons, broke into his store on Railroad street and stole about \$200 worth of goods, after which they made their escape. This robbery was indeed a bold one as Mr. Victory's store is one of the most public as well as one of the lightest places in town. These daring robberies are becoming entirely too frequent in these parts and if some of these pests are not very careful they will be a series of funerals in which they will figure as the principals. The lowest class of men in the world is composed of those trifling fellows who are too lazy and too mean to do honest work, but who watch for an opportunity to rob men who are striving to make an honest living. There is no punishment too severe for men who make their living by stealing from others.

## August Flower.

"It is a surprising fact," says Prof. Houston, "that in my travels in all parts of the world, for the last ten years, I have met more people having used Green's August Flower than any other remedy, for dyspepsia, deranged liver and stomach, and for constipation. I find for tourists and salesmen, or for persons filling office positions, where headaches and general bad feelings from irregular habits exist, that Green's August Flower is a grand remedy. It does not injure the system by frequent use, and is excellent for sour stomachs and indigestion." Sample bottles free at St. Bernard Drugstore. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

When you want repairing or new work in the cabinet line, take it to M. McCord's Carpenter Shop, where it will be promptly done in first class style and at reasonable prices.

Spinal Meningitis in Union County. Mrs. Depoyster, a young married woman, died of spinal meningitis at her home in Sturgis Monday. Considerable alarm exists over the spread of the fatal malady.

Best Way to Invest 25 Cents. ANTOIC, MISS., July 1, 1898. NEW SPENCER MEDICINE CO.

"I want to tell you what I think of your Nubian Tea. I have used it myself and in my family, and it is the best I ever used. It is just the thing to take if you feel bad and are bilious."

A. B. LANCASTER. Sold by St. Bernard Drugstore.

Will Abolish Races. The directors of the Davies county fair, have about decided to abolish trotting and pacing races and to provide for better running races.

Free of Charge. Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature who will call at St. Bernard Drugstore will be presented with a sample bottle of Boesche's German Syrup, free of charge. Only one bottle given to each person, and none returned without order from parents.

No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boesche's German Syrup in all parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away and your druggists will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only Throat and Lung remedy generally endorsed by physicians. One 75 cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in all civilized.

Heavy Cummins, a miner, shot and killed John Grinan, a union mine officer at Middleboro, Monday. The quarrel came up over labor troubles.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. A physician can prescribe Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. The formula is on the packages. Cures your Cough in a day. Very pleasant to take. Children cry for it. Large size bottles. Price 50c and 50c. For sale by St. Bernard Drugstore.

For a Beautiful Complexion, Take Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder.

Will Devney is now night operator in place of Cal Martin, who lately resigned.

Most in Quantity Best in Quality. Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron is a tonic, a blood purifier and a blood maker. It does not stop with merely curing certain diseases like scrofula, sores, abscesses, etc., but cleanses and builds up the whole system. All cure in one bottle of Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron than in any other kind. Sold by Campbell & Co.

Went Dry. Glasgow voted "dry" last Saturday. The good women of the town prayed while the voting was going on.

Have you a cough? A dose of Cassell's Honey of Tar will relieve it. Price 25c and 50c at St. Bernard Drugstore.

Furnace Sold. The Grand Rivers furnaces and the property belonging to the company have been sold to a New York syndicate. There are two \$100,000 furnaces and a \$15,000 office building besides several thousand acres of iron ore land included in the big deal. The new company will push the interests with a vim and Grand Rivers will take on new life.

A Strong Fortification. Fortify the body against disease by Tutt's Liver Pills, an absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation, jaundice, biliousness, and all kindred troubles. "The Fly-Wheel of Life" Dr. Tutt: Your Liver Pills are the fly-wheel of life. I shall ever be grateful for the accident that brought them to my notice. I feel as if I had a new lease of life. J. Fairlie, Platte Canon, Col.

Tutt's Liver Pills. A correspondent asks who is the author of the term "Goodman" in an offensive sense of the word. Henry Watterson is the author in an editorial in the Courier-Journal in 1898. —Henderson Journal.

Rich, Red Blood. Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron not only purifies your blood but makes new, rich, red blood. If you have skin eruptions, boils, abscesses, rheumatism or scrofula, or if you have a run-down, tired-out feeling, try this remedy and note the prompt results. \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Campbell & Co.

The manufacture of links and pins for coupling railroad cars will soon cease as an industry, because of automatic coupling devices.

The Appetite of a Goat. Is caused by all poor dyspepsies whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life-Giver, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular healthy habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c. at St. Bernard Drugstore.

Contracts have already been made with vessels to carry 15,500,000 tons of iron ore down the great lakes this year, exceeding all records.

Much pain and uneasiness is caused by piles, sparing neither age nor sex. Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Price 50 cts in bottle tubes 75 cts at St. Bernard Drug Store.

Hon. W. T. Stafford, of Pineville, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congressman from the Tenth district.

You can be cheerful and happy only when you are well. If you feel "out of sorts" take HERRIE'S. It will brace you up. Price 50c at St. Bernard Drug Store.

The scarcity of coal abroad gives rise to the impression that prices for bituminous coal may go higher.

To allay pains, subdue inflammation, heal foul sores and ulcers, the most satisfactory results are obtained by using Ballard's Snow Liniment. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts at St. Bernard Drug Store.

Great damage to the French wheat crops is reliably reported.

Ladies Favorite—Morley's Little Liver & Bowels Balm are the ladies' favorite, because they are small, easily taken, and do their work quietly, but effectually. One dose. Sold by Campbell & Co., Earlinton.

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Estray Notice.

Taken up as an estray by T. K. DeVault, in the town of Earlinton, on the 24th of January, one red heifer, about two years old, swallow fork in the left and underbit, half crop and red ears. Appraised by E. P. Slack, J. P. H. C., at the value of five dollars.

Fine Work. For fine watch work, clock work and jewelry work, call on W. G. C. Barber, L. & N. R. R. Time Inspector, Earlinton, Ky. Every piece of work warranted.

**Woolen and Silk Dress Goods**  
Are arriving daily and are selling nicely. Now, would you think it? Each season we pick some early plums, and our customers take advantage of the idea and secure the choicest productions in fabrics.

**Our Spring Shoes**  
Are coming in now, and we are prepared to show Good Values at Low Prices. We want you to buy your Shoes of us. Our styles and values are TOP; our prices are BOTTOM.

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Teeth extracted free, Wednesday, April 18, 1900, at Earlinton, Ky., by Neville Bros., the Real Painless Dentists of Sebree, Ky., who come well recommended, this being their fourth trip, and will continue to make regular trips. They guarantee their work for five years.

**TEETH EXTRACTED FREE** On first day to advertise our new and painless method of extracting teeth, known and used by us alone. All are invited to call and be convinced. Office at Hotel.

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## BAD REAR-END COLLISION.

Wreck, with Fatal Results, on the Missouri Pacific Near Independence, Mo.

## AN UNKNOWN PASSENGER CREMATED.

Mrs. J. G. Schmidlapp, of Cincinnati, instantly killed, and a Large Number of Other Passengers More or Less Injured—Story of the Wreck by an Eyewitness.

Kansas City, Feb. 27.—A rear-end collision occurred, Tuesday night, on the main line of the Missouri Pacific railroad a few miles out of Kansas City. The St. Louis day express, due in Kansas City at 5:45 p. m., stuck in a snow drift two miles south of Independence, Mo. The prevailing blizzard was driving the snow in blinding sheets, and the St. Louis local passenger train due here at 6:25 p. m., crashed into the rear end of the stalled train. Both trains usually run at high speed.

It is reported that many persons are hurt, but definite news is not yet available. A relief train from Kansas City has gone out with surgeons.

## Story of an Eyewitness.

William Rost, a farmer near whose place the wreck occurred, and who was one of the very first to render any assistance to the imperiled passengers, is quite sure that at least three women were burned, and a cloud of flames was crackling through the splintered woodwork of the car at one end, while at the other a cloud of blistering steam was belching from the locomotive, which had ripped the coach open from front to end. Every side were men and women crying for assistance.

Mr. Rost's first act was to pull from the wreck a woman whose legs were sticking out through a broken window. She was not badly hurt.

By the time this had been accomplished other passengers from the forward coaches had come back and helped out all of those in the burning car who could be reached.

Mr. Rost states that he saw the body of one woman jammed in the roof of the burning coach, and that it was not reached by the rescuers.

The body of another woman was continued in full view of the passengers who gathered about the wreck. Mr. Rost and others reached into the burning debris and tried to drag her out, but she was pinned under heavy wreckage. Mr. Rost says the young woman was apparently dead, so he reached her hand, and there was no response to his efforts at rescue. He describes the woman as about 25 years old. She wore a dark dress, and a feather chapeau hung from her waist. Mr. Rost believes that he saw the body of still a third woman wedged between the timbers of the burning coach, but before he could get closer the fire and smoke and steam obscured his view.

The locomotive of the first train was dispatched to Independence for surgeons, and after returning with these came on to Kansas City with the passengers from the two trains. The parlor car of the express train was the only coach wrecked.

Mrs. J. G. Schmidlapp, Cincinnati; instantly killed; body recovered. Unknown woman; body consumed in wreck.

## The Injured.

J. G. Schmidlapp, Cincinnati; will recover.

Miss Schmidlapp, Cincinnati; scalped, with loss of sight of both eyes.

Mrs. J. Balke, Cincinnati, mother of Mrs. Schmidlapp; badly scalped, eye sight lost, but not recovered.

W. R. Vaughn, Cincinnati, newspaper reporter; scalped and right arm crushed, amputation necessary.

L. F. Sheldon, Cincinnati, assistant superintendent telegraph of Missouri Pacific; painfully scalped.

Brinkman Frank McFate, St. Louis; badly bruised.

Mrs. Elizabeth Peters, Kansas City; scalped.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lee, Cincinnati; scalped.

All of the injured have been brought to the University hospital in Kansas City.

Ordered to Vacate.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 27.—The state election board, Monday, ordered all the candidates for state offices below lieutenant-governor elected, had the oath administered to them, and established the new government at the Capitol hotel, whence notices were issued ordering the republican incumbents to vacate forthwith.

In Prison Twenty-Three Years.

Joller, Ill., Feb. 28.—Henry Donald, colored, will be released from the penitentiary, Wednesday, after having served 23 years inside its walls. He was sentenced for life from Kane county on May 21, 1877, for murder. Last September the sentence was commuted to expire February 28.

## Five Stewardesses Drowned.

Saganbe, Germany, Feb. 28.—The Swedish mail steamer Rex stranded off Lohme Rügen island during fog. Five stewardesses were drowned in attempting to leave the ship. The rest of the crew and the passengers and mail are still aboard.

## His Centennial.

Chillicothe, Mo., Feb. 28.—Thomas Hutchison, Livingston county's oldest inhabitant, celebrated his one hundredth birthday anniversary, Monday, at his home in Chillicothe. He is nearly 900 relatives and friends participated.

## DEADLY PARALLEL.

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number of them had to quit. I think we will have 1,500 on strike by March 1. They are not making a decent living working, and we have promised them a living if they would join the United Mine Workers and line up to its principles. We must certainly feed them and when we meet in our scale convention we will get a settlement without any trouble. No more at present.

J. D. Wood.

This man Wood calls on the St. Bernard miners in Hopkins county, who received in wages for the month of January more than \$48,000, to join his order, strike and get the sort of a thing the Arkansas strikers are luxuriating upon—\$8.82 each per month. He calls upon the men in the employ of the Reinecke, Monarch, Crabtree, Carbondale—all mines in Hopkins county now enjoying prosperous work to give up wages proportionate to the above figures and accept the magnificent charity of the order—\$5 cents a week in Arkansas. He calls upon the contented, thrifty and prosperous miners of Hopkins county to throw aside the county's unapproachable record

of steady work and prosperous conditions, to which State Mine Inspector Stone refers in a special letter to THE BEE published in this issue, and to accept his leadership and his proffered charity.

For the purpose of making the parallel yet more clear THE BEE has made investigation and obtained figures as to the earnings of some miners here and at Barsley. How would the following St. Bernard men like to exchange their January earnings for Wood and his possible \$8.82 per month:

Ollie Morris, miner No. 11.....\$104.16  
L. Woodward.....No. 11.....84.87  
O. King, loader No. 9.....106.47  
Machine men.....72.00

But Wood has some staunch followers at Barsley—men who could stand only four and one-half months of prosperity, most of whom have exchanged the wages of prosperity for the flesh pots of Dock Smith, purveyor for the U. M. W., viz., \$5 cents per week. Note the earnings of some of these Barsley miners for January:

Tom Walton.....\$80.40  
A Booker.....63.15  
John Robinson.....61.64  
Phil Ashford and boy.....111.00  
Tom Harlan and two boys.....155.19  
Mac Smith.....58.01

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It is a sure cure for all the above ailments. It is sold by druggists.

## EARLY-DAY CHRISTIANS.

They Held That God Took a Personal Interest in Their Crops, in Rheumatism, Etc.

"The methods, not the motives, of the American of the earlier part of the century were at fault," writes "An American Mother" in the March Ladies' Home Journal. "The Almighty, you must remember, was always present with him. He appealed to God when he lay down to sleep and when he arose, when he ate or when he fasted, when he wanted rain and when he had too much rain. If he should die suddenly it would be by the visitation of God; if he sent out a cargo he invoked God, on the bill of lading, to bring the good ship into a safe harbor. He held that this Supreme Power took a personal interest in his crops, his rheumatism, and his choice of a wife. He tried, naturally, to make his children the servants of this Omnipotent Ruler. Whether he set his boy in a pulpit or took him to the barn and whipped him like a dog, his motive was the same—to make him a Christian and a faithful follower of God. Candidly, is that our purpose now in the rearing of our children? Or is it to fit them to make money?"

## Echo Mass Meeting.

At the M. E. Church, South, Sunday afternoon March 4 at 2:30 o'clock, the people of Earlington are requested and are cordially invited to assemble in mass meeting for the purpose of hearing reports of the Y. M. C. A. State convention and the progress and prospects and purposes of this work as applied to county

work. Hopkins is the first county in Kentucky to be organized and Y. M. C. A. workers throughout the State are looking with interest to the work here. Howard Caldwell, County Secretary, I. Bailey, President of the county organization and E. B. Boulton, member of the county committee, will address the meeting. All of these gentlemen attended the recent State convention. A musical program is being arranged. All are cordially invited to attend.

## Col. Colson Improving.

Col. Dave Colson, who was injured in the Scott-Colson duel at Frankfort some time ago, continues to improve steadily. He has been much cheered lately by messages from members of the family of Luther Demaree, to the effect that they do not regard him as being responsible for Demaree's death. A cousin of Demaree's, from Shelbyville, called on Colson a few days ago to extend his sympathy. As soon as Colson is able to leave the hospital argument and evidence in his behalf will be offered before Circuit Judge Cantrell, with a view to securing his release from custody on bond. It is regarded as almost certain that bail will be allowed.

## To Have Letter-Carriers.

Ashland is soon to have free mail delivery. The letter carriers will be appointed and begin work at an early date.

You will miss a treat if you fail to hear Rev. John M. Crowe's lecture, March 7.

**Planters CUBAN RELIEF** cures Cuts, Bruises and Toothache in five minutes. Sore Throat and Summer Complaint. Price, 25 Cents. Sold by St. Bernard Druggists.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Inez Dean has been spending this week in Madisonville.

Mrs. Bailey Walker, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of Mrs. E. A. Chatten this week.

The tobacco buyers at the different markets of this county have bought large quantities of the weed. The farmers have received fairly good prices.

Some of our Earlington boys who have been away in search of work have decided that there is no place like home, and have returned from their wanderings.

Mrs. Paul M. Moore, who has been ill for some days, is improving and much stronger.

"That Wife of Yours and her Husband." Methodist Church, South, March 7.

Next Monday will be county court day at Madisonville.

Profs. Shacklett and Smith began their school in the Normal building at Madisonville Monday with a fair attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Byron visited relatives at Nebo Sunday.

The Young Men's Christian Association at Nebo is starting off well. A good class has been organized. The class meets at the office of Dr. C. N. Ferguson, and each member takes a lively interest in the work.

The large general store at Richmond, belonging to H. R. Cox, has been taken charge of by Joe Hobbgood, of Nebo.

The quarterly conference for the Earlington-Nebo, charges M. E. Church, South, will convene at Nebo, on Saturday the 10th. Presiding Elder Dr. G. H. Hayes, will preside.

Earlington's new depot, for which all have been looking with longing, it is understood, has not yet been ordered by the railroad officials, but it is an assured future fact—when it comes.

Mae Smith was fined by Esquire Sick for using abusive language, constituting an assault, upon the street of Barsley last week.

Dave Adams, employed at Arnold mines, was called to Hopkinsville, Tuesday by a telephone message announcing the death of his brother by shooting, at that place. No particulars were obtainable.

The Y. M. C. A. Bible class resumed Thursday night last and will now continue regularly each Thursday night at Assembly Hall at 7:30 p. m.

Work on the new foundry and machine shops has been at a standstill for some time because of the very unfavorable weather conditions for building.

Dr. E. A. Chatten, of Earlington, is in the city on a visit.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

The roads are almost impassable, and yesterday Barten Crutcherfield rode horseback through the woods from St. Charles to Earlington and return, in order to dodge the mire.

Rev. W. M. Rogers has been preaching some strong sermons at the General Baptist church. Large audiences are in attendance, and considerable interest is being manifested. The meeting will continue all the week.

## Money for the Governor.

Judge Polk Cansler, of Hopkinsville, sent a draft for \$222 to Gov. Taylor Monday, which was raised by Judge Cansler for contribution to a fund to reimburse to some extent the Governor in his expenditure of his private means in the great struggle for the rights of the people.

## Hanks-Davis

Mr. Ed Hanks, of near St. Charles, and Miss Ollie Davis, of near Nortonville, were united in marriage Sunday evening at the home of the bride's parents. They are worthy young people and have the best wishes of their many friends. The BEE extends congratulations.

## Small Pox Done.

Dr. P. B. Davis, who has had charge of the small pox patients, is discharging the last one today and doing the final work of disinfecting. Prompt action on the part of the Health Board served to offset any stampout the disease and prevent its spreading at a time when the conditions seemed ripe for a general breaking out.

## Services at Hecla.

Rev. R. M. Wheat will preach at the schoolhouse at Hecla next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Every-body invited.

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These articles mailed FREE in exchange for lion heads cut from front of 1 lb. LION COFFEE pkgs.

Silk Umbrella (either Lady's or Gents).

Sent by express (charge prepaid), for 170 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

A very fine umbrella, made of union silk-staffs; 26-inch frame with seven ribs; steel rod and silver compass handle. Would cost \$10.00 at the store.

## Dress-Pin Set.

Mailed free for 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Three pins in a box (large size shown). Buttons, one pair, with handsome silk-covered settings. Suitable for neckties or a child's set.

## Sash-Belt and Buckle.

Mention your waist-measure when sending.

Mailed free for 15 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. Latest style of imported black Swiss grosgrain ribbon belt; stylish imitation oxidized silver buckle; neat, strong and fashionable.

## Silver Napkin-Ring.

2-cent stamp. Neat and substantial. Two different patterns.

## Coin-Purse.

For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Color, dark brown. Made of fine kid leather; charming lining; nickel-plated frame, with strong snap-fastening.

## Ladies' Pen-Knife.

For 15 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. Large size; good material; handles nicely decorated and serrated colors.

## Table Cover.

For 25 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. Including fancy fringe and tassels.

## Boys' Pocket-Knife.

For 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The "Easy-Opening" knife, with sharp blades, strong handle.



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Try LION COFFEE and you will never use any other. It is absolutely pure Coffee and nothing but Coffee.

Fancy Gold Ring. For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Genuine Ruby-Setting Gold Ring. For 25 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

These rings are genuine rolled-gold plate, having the exact appearance and quality of solid gold, and guaranteed by the maker to last two years with ordinary usage. New patterns and very popular.

## TO DETERMINE THE SIZE—

Cut a strip of thick paper so that the ends will exactly meet when drawn snugly around second joint of the finger. Lay one end on this diagram at the 0, and order the number the other end indicates.

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## "Knickerbocker" Watch.

Given for 175 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Neat appearing and an excellent time-keeper. Solid nickel-silver case, with ornamental back. Nickel movements, accurate, fully jeweled. The famous "Knickerbocker" watch.

## Ladies' Watch Chain.

A double strand of best silk cord, united at intervals with colored beads; neat and substantial. For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

## Gent's Watch.

Mailed free for 90 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The celebrated "finger-roll" watch; stem-wound and stem-wind; stylish metal case; each watch guaranteed by the maker. A reliable time-keeper.

## Ladies' Pocket-Book.

Large size and latest shape. Nickel case, with leather binding, with four separate divisions, including a lock-pocket with key to lock visiting cards.

## Table Cover.

Given for 25 lion heads from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. Durable, colored material that will stand washing and wear.

## Boys' Pocket-Knife.

For 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The "Easy-Opening" knife, with sharp blades, strong handle.

## Pair of Lace Handkerchiefs.

Extra-fine cambric handkerchiefs, with beautiful imported lace border. Each pair contains two handkerchiefs. Half-price, 50 cents. A pair of these handkerchiefs, given for 15 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp.

## Children's Picture Book.

Given for 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Sixteen large pages of Mother Goose Melodies illustrated with nicely photographed covers. We have different books, so you can get an assortment.

## Century Cook-Book.

666 pages of valuable recipes, also treatise on the art of cooking, including the kitchen, dining-room, and recipes for the most common diseases.

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For 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The "Easy-Opening" knife, with sharp blades, strong handle.

## Art Picture, "Easter Greeting."

Given for 8 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. A highly artistic picture, that will be the most attractive of your Easter cards. The background of the picture is a reproduction of the little girl and her white Easter lilies. Size, 10x12 inches.

## Flower Picture.

For 8 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The "Valley" size, 11x14 inches. Bright and artistic coloring.

## The Dancing Lesson.

For 8 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The green grass and trees, the little brown kitten and the girl's snow-white dress form a pleasing combination of colors. Size, 11x14 inches. Mailed free for 8 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

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